

Bill Resolution No.: 1661 Amendment to: _____

Requested by: Legislative Council Date of Receipt: _____

Please estimate the fiscal impact of the above measure for:

State general or special funds Counties Cities

In the following space note the fiscal effect in dollars of this measure:

Narrative: There will be no fiscal impact on the State Department of Health.

HB 1661 pertains to district health units organized according to provisions of chapter 23-14 NDCC. The other health departments in the state are organized under chapter 23-03 NDCC as county boards of health, therefore they would not be impacted by HB 1661. Because the proposed amendment is permissive, the potential financial impact has been computed at the minimal level using the following formula. Also, some district boards will probably choose not to be compensated for attending board meetings because of fiscal constraints.

Total number of board members in all districts x \$45.00 x number of days;
the number of days will vary from a minimum of 4 as required by subsection
23-14-09 NDCC to a maximum of 25 specified in HB 1661.

Historically, district boards of health have been meeting one day quarterly. Two boards meet monthly, and only infrequently do other boards meet more often than the minimum required.

The following are recognized by the State Department of Health as district health units and therefore would be impacted by HB 1661.

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State Fiscal Effect:

1983-84		1984-85		Biennium Total	
Special Funds	General Fund	Special Funds	General Fund	Special Funds	General Fund
-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

County and City Fiscal Effect:

1983-84		1984-85		Biennium Total	
Counties	Cities	Counties	Cities	Counties	Cities
Districts		Districts		Districts	
14,040	1,080	14,040	1,080	28,080	2,160

If additional space is needed, attach a supplemental sheet.

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Department State Department of Health

Supplement Sheet

Narrative continued:

Name of District Health Unit

Custer District Health Unit, Mandan
Southwestern District Health Unit, Dickinson
Upper Missouri District Health Unit, Williston
First District Health Unit, Minot
Lake Region District Health Unit, Devils Lake
Central Valley District Health Unit, Jamestown
City/County Health Department, Valley City
Nelson/Griggs County Health Department
Kidder County District Health Unit *
Sargent County District Health Unit *
Grand Forks City Health Department

Bismarck/Burleigh Nursing Service and Fargo Community Health are also recognized as district health units, however, they would not be impacted in the same way as other districts because the city commissioners constitute the boards of health and all health matters are dealt with in city commission meetings, thus no board member compensation would be involved.

* May not be functioning district health units until after January 1, 1984.